ಶ್ರೀ ಸಿ. ಎಸ್. ಹುಲ್ಕೋಟಿ.— (b) ಮತ್ತು (c) ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ಕೋರ ಲಾಗಿತ್ತು ಎಂದು ಉತ್ತರ ಹೇಳಿದೆ. ಯಾವ ಯಾವ ಸಂದರ್ಭದಲ್ಲಿ ಎಂದು ಖಚಿತವಾಗಿ ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಾಲ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಬೇಕಾದರೆ ಅದನ್ನು ಜೇಬರ್ ಮೇಲೆ ಇಡೋಣ.

FINALISATION OF INTER-STATE SENIORITY LIST OF EXCISE INSPECTORS AND ASSISTANT INSPECTORS.

*Q.-578. Sri Madhav Rao (Hulsur).-

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

- (a) whether the Inter-State Seniority List of Excise Inspectors and Assistant Inspectors was finalised;
 - (b) if not, the reasons for the delay in its finalisation:
- (c) whether the appeals submitted by the above Officers in this regard were disposed off;
 - (d) if not so, reasons therefor?

A .- Sri B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).-

- (a) Final list can only be published after the approval of the Central Government. Provisional Inter-State Seniority List was prepared in 1957.
 - (b) Does not arise in view of reply to (a).
- (c) The Departmental Committee has taken into consideration the representations of the aggrieved officials and have made their recommendations to Government.
 - (d) Does not arise in view of reply (c).

Sri Madhav Rao.—When was the list sent to the Central Government and whether the Government have received any reply from the Central Government?

†Sri B. D. Jatti.—A semi-final list has been sent to the Government of India, but we have not as yet received it back.

Sri V. Srinivasa Shetty.—In answer to (a), you have stated that "final list can only be published after the approval of the Central Government." Does the State Government contemplates approval of the list submitted by the State Government or the list prepared by the Central Government?

Sri B. D. Jatti.—The list will have to be prepared by the State Government and the final approval will be given by the Government of India. That is the decision of the High Court.

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Sri V. Srinivasa Shetty.—According to the States Reorganisation Act, the list was prepared by this Government in the year 1957, can the Government give any reason why the list has not been so far finalised by the Central Government?

- Sri B. D. Jatti.—To make it very clear Sir, the Inter-State Seniority List of Excise Inspectors was prepared in 1957. It is correct. Immediately after the formation of the New Mysore State a provisional Inter-State Seniority List of Excise Inspectors was notified on 28th March 1957; then the Assistant Excise Inspectors' list was notified on 12th August 1958.
- Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—The real point is: why is there such a long delay after the preparation of the list and after having been sent to the Government of India? Is there any complication which has arisen between 1958 and 1961?
- Sri B. D. Jatti.—The point is: there are 5 or 6 States particularly regarding the officers about whom the question is put. In the year 1957, the list was prepared, and then the recommendations were forwarded to the Government of India. The officers of the Government of India reviewed the whole question. Afterwards, the State Government appointed a Committee with Sri R. J. Robello, Director of Efficieficy Audit. They scrutinised the list which was prepared by the Government of India Officers. The whole list came to the Government. Then the Government decided the principles. Afterwards the whole list and the principles of the list were sent to the Heads of Departments for scrutiny. They have scrutinised the list and have now sent back the list and that list is finalised. Objections have been called for. There is one State appellate Committee which has to scrutinise the whole thing and send its recommendations, then we will have to send it to the Government of India.
- Sri J. B. Mallaradhya.—I want to invite the attention of the Hon'ble Chief Minister to the decision of the High Court in regard to the appointment of Sales Tax and Commercial Tax Officers. In that judgment, the High Court has held that the responsibility for the preparation of the Inter-State Seniority List is not on the State Government but is on the Central Government itself. Having regard to that judgment, will the position be reviewed and correct decision taken?
- Sri B. D. Jatti.—The position has been reviewed and the whole list is prepared and it will be sent to the Government of India for final approval.
- Sri V. Srinivasa Shetty.—Even before the list is finalised, how can a right of appeal vests with the Government Officers and how can the Committee review the whole matter?
- Sri B. D. Jatti.—When the list is prepared, it will be sent. What we used to call the final list, I am calling it as semi-final list. We have sent the semi-final list to the Government of India i.e., the Home Ministry. They will send back the list for the information of the State.

(Sri B. D. JATTI)

The Appellate Committee will give its opinion and again it will be finalised by the Government of India.

- Sri V. Srinivasa Shetty.—That is not the point Sir. Whether the appeals submitted to the officers in this regard were disposed of or whether it contemplates the right of appeal by the officers to the Department and the Department has taken into consideration the representations of the aggrieved officers and have they made their recommendations to the Government? How can there be a right of appeal on the part of Government; how can the Committee go into the question before the list itself is not finalised?
- Sri B. D. Jatti.—The question is: before the High Court gave its decision, we thought that we were the final authority to decide. Since the High Court has given that decision, now this question has come in. They came in appeal to the Government and their objections were considered by the departmental committee and the Government finalised the list. But since the High Court has given a decision, it is going to be a semi-final list.
- Sri G. N. Puttanna.—Is the Government going to approve of the list sent by the Government of Mysore suo moto or are they competant to change or alter the list?
- Sri B. D. Jatti.—When the final authority vests with the Government of India, automatically it means they can make changes if they so wish.
- Sri S. D. GAONKAR.—Though it is nearly four years have passed, the provisional Seniority list of this department has not yet been finalised. I want to know from the Chief Minister whether at least the list of Ministers and the Deputy Ministers has been finalised?

Mr. SPEAKER.--Order, order.

- ಶ್ರೀ ಎ೯. ಜಿ. ನರಸಿಂಹೇಗೌಡ.—ಎಕ್ಸೈಜು ಇ೯ಸ್ಪೆಕ್ವರುಗಳ ಅಪೀಲುಗಳೆಷ್ಟು ಸೀನಿ ಯಾರಿಟಿ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದ್ದುವು ? ಅದರಲ್ಲ ಎಷ್ಟು ನರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಒವರ್ ಲುಕ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ ?
- Sri B. D. Jatti.—The number of appeals received from the Excise Inspectors and the Assistant Excise Inspectors are 17 and 51 respectively.
 - ಶ್ರೀ ಎ೯. ಜಿ. ನರಸಿಂಹೇಗೌಡ.—ಹಾಗಾದರೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ಡಿಸ್ಟೋನ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಿ ?
- ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಜತ್ತಿ. —ಫೈನಲ್ಲಾಗಿ ಡಿಸ್ಪೋನ್ ಮಾಡುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರ ನಮಗಿಲ್ಲ. ಅಬ್ಜೆಕ್ಷನ್ಸ್ ಕಾರ್ ಫಾರ್ ಮಾಡಿ ಇಂಡಿಯಾ ನರ್ಕಾರದವರಿಗೆ ಕಳುಹಿನುತ್ತೇವೆ ಅವರು ಫೈನಲೈಜ್ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು.

2-00 P. M.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಜಿ. ನರಸಿಂಹೇಗಾದ.—Final ಆಗಿ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೇವೆಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿರಲ್ಲಾ ತಾವು ಕೊಟ್ಟರುವುದು ಕೇವಲ opinion ಅಲ್ಲವೇ ?

- Sri B. D. Jatti.—The objections received by the officers will be looked into by the Government of Mysore and with the opinion of the Government of Mysore, the semi-final list will be sent to the Government of India.
- Sri V. Srinivasa Shetty.—When do this Government hope to finalise the whole thing Sir?
- Sri B. D. Jatti.—I can say that with a period of two months, the question of sending the semi-final list will be completed and the other thing remains with the Government of India.
- Sri V. Shinivasa Shetty.—When do the Mysore Government hope to get the final approval of the Government of India in this case?
 - Sri B. D. Jatti.—It is very difficult to say Sir.
- Sri C. J. Muckannappa.—Is there any way open to the aggrieved official to make any appeal to the Government of India again?
- Sri B. D. Jatti.—Sir, I have explained all along and I have been explaining since the last to months. Government of India is the final authority and there is no appeal on the decision of the Government of India.
- ತ್ರೀ ಸಿ. ಜೆ. ಮುಕ್ಕಣ್ಣ ಪ್ಪ.— ತಾವೀಗ ಕಳುಹಿನುವ final listನ ಮೇಲೆ, ನೊಂದ ಆಫೀನರುಗಳು ಅಫೀಲ್ ನಿಲ್ಲಿನುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶವಿದೆಯೇ ?
- Sri C. K. RAJAIAH SHETTY.—It is already four years past and still it is in the semi-final stage. How can the Government fill up vacancies and carry on administration?
- Sri B. D. Jatti—Regarding the provisional seniority and other things, the Government of India have given us full scope and the High Court also has not come in our way. We can carry on Sir. If it is said, final then we have to depend on the Government of India.

IMPLEMENTATION OF BARAPOLE HYDRO-ELECTRIC SCHEME IN COORG.

*Q.—595. Sri K. P. KARUMBAYYA (Virajpet).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the implementation of Barapole Hydro-Electric Scheme in Coorg is contemplated in Third Five-Year Plan and if not, when it is proposed to be taken up;
- (b) whether there is any scheme under active consideration of the Government to divert the waters of the Barapole to the Lakshmanathirtha River to augment the waters available for irrigation purposes in Mysore state;
- (c) whether the question of cost of implementing the Barapole Hydro-Electric Scheme has been examined; and if so, what is the cost?